Navy Case 82816

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: ERIC R. BACHMANN et al.

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Examiner: LE, TOAN M.

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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MOTION TRACKING OF AN ARTICULATED RIGID BODY

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Arlington, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant petitions for an extension of time for a total period of Six month(s) to-Reply to a Non-Final Office Action, mailed on 08/21/2003 requiring the filing of a Response to the Examiner's Rejection of all Pending Claims. Applicant was given a Shortened Statutory Period for Reply Set To Expire 3 Months from the date of the Office Action, which expired on 11/21/2003. Further, the Examiner provided that Extension of time may be obtained by filing a Petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a), due on 02/21/2004, EXCEPT in this case that date falls on a Saturday and, therefore is now due on 02/23/2004. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested: 2. is filed herewith. has been filed. 3. Applicant is a small entity-verified statement: attached. already filed. other than a small entity. CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION (37 C.F.R. § 1.8) I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted by Facsimile, to accompany the Reply To A Non-Final Office Action as attachments hereto, which are being transmitted by Facsimile on the date shown below addressed to: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ARTINGTON, VA 22313-1450.

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